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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>(Small Entity)</b>			Docket No. 344-P-16-USA
Application Of: <b>SETH D. ROSE; WILLIAM H. DRUMMOND</b>			
Serial No. 09/509,237	Filing Date March 20, 2000	Examiner B. Fubara	Group Art Unit 1615
Invention: <b>METHOD AND COMPOSITIONS FOR IN SITU FORMATION OF PROTECTIVE AND/OR MEDICATED FILMS ON BODY TISSUE</b>			
<p align="center"><u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></p> <p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>April 23, 2002</u> in the above-identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> One month               <input type="checkbox"/> Two months               <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months               <input type="checkbox"/> Four months               <input type="checkbox"/> Five months         </p> <p>           from: <u>July 23, 2002</u>     until: <u>October 23, 2002</u> </p> <p>A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> is enclosed.  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has already been filed in this application.         </p> <p>The fee for the extension of time is <b>\$460</b> and is to be paid as follows:</p> <p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  <input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. _____            A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.         </p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. _____            A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.         </p> <div> <p>Dated: <b>October 23, 2002</b></p> <p align="center"><i>Signature</i></p> </div> <div> <p><b>David G. Duckworth</b>  <b>Registration No: 39,516</b>  <b>DRUMMOND &amp; DUCKWORTH</b>  <b>5000 Birch Street, Suite 440, East Tower</b>  <b>Newport Beach, CA 92660</b>  <b>(949) 724-1255</b></p> </div> <div> <p>I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.</p> <p align="center"><i>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></p> <p align="center"><i>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></p> </div>			

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